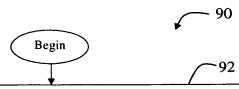






FIG. 3



Receive first and second QPCH symbols for a given slot and compute parameters (CSI_{page} and CSI_{pilot}) representative of combined (over all multipaths) chip energy to noise ratios ($Ec/Io)_{page}$ an ($Ec/Io)_{pilot}$ for the QPCH page and pilot, respectively, and compute and the combined energies D, in accordance with the following equations:

$$CSI = \left(\frac{E_{pilot}}{\hat{I}_{o}}\right)_{combined} = \frac{E_{pilot1}}{\hat{I}_{o1}} + \frac{E_{pilot2}}{\hat{I}_{o2}}$$

$$D = \frac{dot_1 + dot_2}{E_{page1} + E_{pilot1}}$$

